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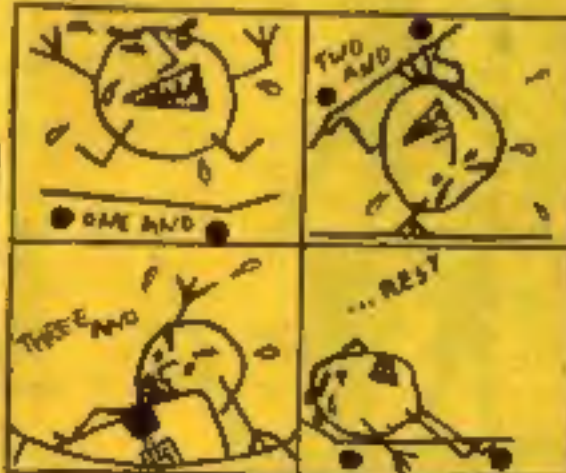
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WELCOME



The weather is clearly
here, this is the day
I've been waiting for.
My first reaction, look
outside and check the
weather, but I was scared
I would open the curtain
only to see rain or snow
or maybe even a mushroom
cloud, you never know.
Well I finally got up the
guts to open them and I
was disappointed with
what I saw, snow!!! It
just can't be! Well I
finally got over that and
we made plans to leave
later on, as soon as it
cleared up. Thank God it
did!

WE're on our way, and
the hour ride seems like
5 minutes. We arrived in
New Brunswick and were

faced with the problem
of finding Tom's house.
It was easier than we
thought, I mean how many
people in N.B. have 12
ft. high ramps in their
backyard? The first thing
we saw was the top of the
ramp sticking up over
top of the houses, need-
less to say I was in the
backyard even before the
van was parked. This is
where I experienced my
second disappointment of
the day, wet fiberglass,
and urethane wheels just
don't get along very well.

I then went inside to
find a houseful of eager

skaters with all of
their pads on. We all
then went back outside
to dry off the ramp as
best as we could. It
still had some wet spots
on it when we started
skating which of course

some much needed sleep.

I awoke the next mor-
ning to the sound of
the ramp being skated and
decided it was time to
get my pads on and join
them. The skating got

GROHOLSKI'S RAMP CONTEST A HOT WEEKEND, IN A COLD MONTH

BY RICK CHANDLER

accounted for some severe
unexpected beefs.

When it got dark we
all piled in some cars
and hit the local mall
for pizza and painted-
curb sessions. That
lasted for a couple hrs.
then we all went back to
Tom's house for hours of
looking at millions of
pictures, courtesy of
Mr. Groholski. Then came
the highlight of the
night, movies from Calif-
ornia, everyone was
totally stoked off of
that. Well it began to
get late and we all got



STEVE HERING RAMP HOG

hotter as the day went on, and a lot more skaters started showing from Pa, N.J, Md, NY, and Va. Then came the video crew, the stereo. Next thing you know it was high noon and the contest was under way.

Everyone took a run and where judged over all. The major threats where; Jim Murphy, Dan Brown, and Jeff Jones. Jim had every move under the sun, including 3-side boneless, fully contorted laybacks, chest-high indy airs, and he even threw in a Lea' channel air (w/out a channel. Dan was doing Viller flips, bomb drops off the extension, and stalling inverts for 5 seconds. Jeff was sporting his new trick, the "finger flip layback" and the most killer 3-side ollies I ever saw.

Two other notables that didn't compete were Steve Herring and Tom Groholaki. Tom just simply left peoples jaws hit the ground, I won't even begin to list all of the moves he was doing. He shreds, lets just leave it at that. Of course Steve Herring also blew minds with some of the highest airs of the day. He also had the most aggressive style of anyone.

JEFF JONES, "FINGER FLIP"



-3- JIM MURPHY, INVERT

Well the contest was over and it was time for the highest air, this event was sick! Some guys would launch so high that you'd just stand there waiting for them to re-enter. Each time a skater would drop in he'd push it higher and higher until he couldn't push it anymore. After this event was over we all retired to Tom's living room to watch the contest on video. When that was over we watched the Circle Jerks sig 15 minutes after it happened.

Well thanks alot to the entire Groholski family for putting up with us for the whole weekend, and also thanks to the Philly crew for the cool video, your all top cool!

RESULTS:



1. Jim Murphy
2. Jeff Jones
3. Dan Brown
4. Chuck Treece
5. Doug 'ayer
6. John Tires
7. Greg Golestcott
8. Steve Casper
9. Dan Bay
10. Dave Tobin
11. Rob Cusack
12. Jim Murphy
13. Jon Angles
14. John Fillers
15. Rick Holzman
16. Rodney Smith
17. Steve Willis

AIR EVENT

1. Tom Groholski-- 4'8"
2. Steve Herring-- 4'6"
3. Jim Murphy----- 4'4"



DOUG MAYER, FINGER FLIP

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TOM MURPHY - INDOY AIR

STEVE HERRING - B-SIDE



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JIM MURPHY - INDOY AIR

GREG COLESCOTT - B-SIDE



TOMB - INVERT TO EXTENSION

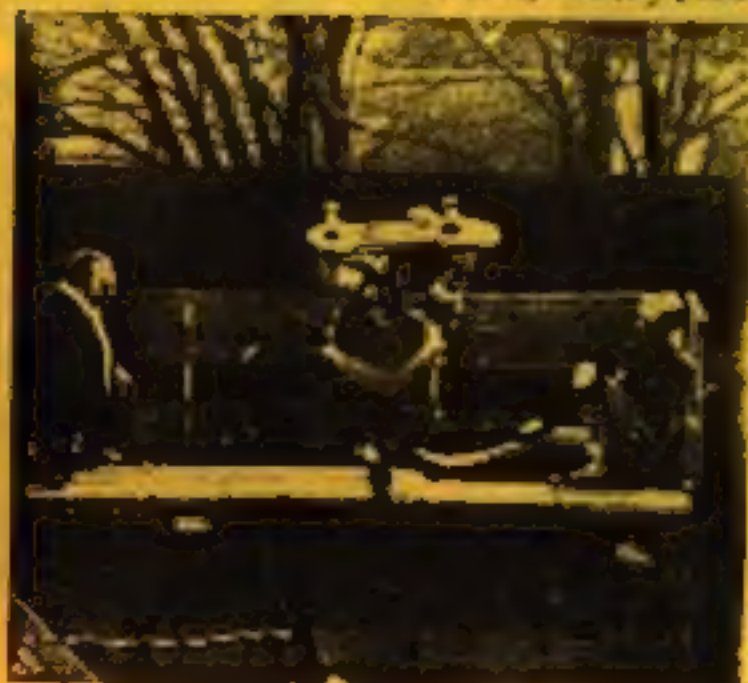
DAN BAY - B-SIDE



SMALL MAN, BIG AIR - TOM G.



DON BROWN, STALLING



WHAT DID I SAY ABOUT CONVERTED
LAYBACKS? - JIM MURPHY



ALLENTOWN IS A MEDIUM-SIZED CITY LOCATED IN EASTERN P.A., MADE UP OF LARGE INDUSTRIAL COMPANIES. ALSO IT IS THE HOME OF PICY-TURN MAGAZINE. BESIDES THAT, IT PLAYS HOST TO SEVERAL WET STATE SPORTS. MOST OF THEM ARE CHAMPIONSHIPS. THEY ARE AS FOLLOWS:

BOWTIE HILL RAMP - (LIES ADJACENT TO D-VILLE ON AR-101). GOOD POINTS: A SMOOTH 35° ANGLE, GOOD SPEED LINES, ABOUT 25 FEET LONG, AN ARTIFICIAL YELLOW PAINTED CURB AT THE TOP, ALLOWS FOR MAXIMUM VARIETY OF COOL TRICKS. K.T.'S PERSONAL FAVORITE. BAD POINTS: BAD HIGHWAY FOR YOUR BOARD TO BE SENT SENT CUT OFF. IF PHANUA CY IS OPEN, YOU WILL BE HIGHER ON IT ABOUT 5 FEET.

DOUBT HILL - (BETWEEN D-VILLE AND DOWNTOWN) GOOD POINTS: SMOOTH 45° ANGLE, GOOD SPEED LINES, ABOUT 50 FEET LONG. BAD POINTS: ALWAYS OPEN, LOTS OF PE- BLES, CO'S LIVES DOUBTS.

GRANDPA BAKER - (LOCATED IN THE PLAYGROUND OF SEAFORD EMBURY'S SCHOOL) GOOD POINTS: THIS ONE'S COOL. IT HAS TWO BANKS SHAPED LIKE AN I. ONE IS REAL HIGH, AND THE OTHER IS SMALL AND LOW. ABOUT 35° ANGLE, REAL SMOOTH, MILLIONS OF LINES, ALWAYS SPATABLE. BAD POINTS: SLYING SETS ON ONE SIDE, WHICH ARE A CHALLENGE, LOTS OF LITTLE KIDS THAT ALWAYS ASK QUESTIONS LIKE, "WHY IS THAT THING SO BIG?" AND "CAN YOU DO A 360?"

EMMAUS BANKS - (AGAIN, LOCATED BEHIND A SCHOOL) GOOD POINTS: A SMOOTH 40° ANGLE, WELL LIT, NO BUSTS, NO OBSTRUCTIONS. BAD POINTS: UP HILL PUSH, BOUNDED LIE

FARMER BANKS-(LOCATED IN PARKING LOT IN A FARMERS MARKET) GOOD POINTS: REAL, REAL, LONG, SMOOTH, L SHAPED, A COOL HIP, NO BUSTS. BAD POINTS: LOTS OF TRAFFIC, FARM BOYS DON'T LIKE "PUNKERS ON SURF BOARDS".

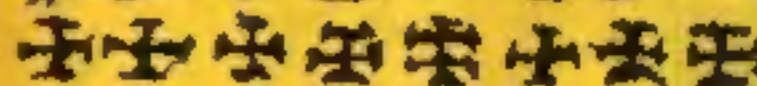
UNION TERRACE-(LOCATED BEHIND U.T. MIDDLE SCHOOL ON SOMETHING LIKE TEAT) GOOD POINTS: REAL LONG, 40° ANGLE, AN L SHAPE, A SHARP HIP FOR AIRING OFF OF, WELL LIT FOR MONDO NIGHT SESSIONS, NO BUSTS AT ALL.

WELL THERE IS A LIST OF OUR MOST FREQUENTLY VISITED HOT SPOTS IN ALLENTOWN. BESIDES THEM, THERE ARE A COUNTLESS AMOUNT OF OTHER PLACES THAT WE SKATE ON AN EVERY-DAY BASIS. TO PUT IT PLAINLY, ALLENTOWN IS HAPPENING AND YOUR MISSING OUT, SO PAY A VISIT AND YOU WON'T REGRET IT.



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TOONES REVIEW



D.Y.S., Dept. of Youth Services

D.Y.S. has an L.P. called, Brotherhood. They're from Boston. Their L.P. has very fast strumming guitars and equally fast vocals, if not faster. Some of the fastest songs are, Insurance Risk, Brotherhood, and Fashion, but basically, the whole album rips! The worst song on the album is Escape, but you get to like it after a while. D.Y.S. shreds live, they played in K-bur Pa. If you get to see them, do it! They're also cool dudes, cuz they sold me their L.P. for only \$3.00. Oh, by the way, they're a straight edge but buy the L.P. anyway.

-Ray Young

Social Distortion

Social distortions' new album, "Moray's Little Monster" is a real disappointment. I bought the album thinking of the real hot songs they put on compilations, like, 1945 and 'Ass Hysteria. The songs remind me of some kind of big ~~time~~ rock and roll band or something, (8 min-ut long songs, long guitar solos, etc...) The only good thing about this album is the lyrics. If you're into fast paced hardcore to skate to, stay clear of this album, don't waste your money.

-Rick Charnoski



29th STREET

IN THE TOWN OF OCEAN CITY, MARYLAND THERE ARE MANY UNDERGROUND SKATE SPOTS. I WOULD JUST LIKE TO MENTION ONE OF THEM. AT 29th STREET THERE LIES A TOTALLY FUNCTIONAL FIBERGLASS HALFPIPE. IT IS 4ft. HIGH, 8ft. WIDE AND 8ft. FLATBOTTOM. THIS OF COURSE INCLUDES TWO WIDE DECKS. THE RAMPS ARE A FORMER PART OF A CLOSED CITY OWNED PARK. A FEW LOCALS GOT A TRUCK AND PICKED UP WHAT THEY WANTED AT A VACANT LOT. IT IS NOW SET UP AT ITS PRESENT LOCATION. THE RAMP HAS ONLY BEEN THERE FOR ABOUT SIX MONTHS BUT EVERYONE KNOWS ABOUT IT AND SESSIONS IT HEAVILY EVERY DAY. THE LOCATION IS REALLY COOL BECAUSE 7-II IS ONE BLOCK AWAY AND THE STREETS WERE RECENTLY PAVED. THE RAMP IS EVEN EQUIPPED WITH A CLASSICAL SOFA AND CUSHIONS ON THE SIDE. A SPECIAL THANKS TO ALL THE LOCAL SKATERS WHO HELPED BUILD IT AND ARE COOL ENOUGH TO LET EVERYONE SESSION IT.

-GLEN CHARNOSKI

R.C. 3



G.C. 2



ALL KINDS OF GARBAGE

How's it going boys and girls? Did you all get stoked off of the first issue? That's good cuz' your stuck with reading another one!

Well, he did it again. Glen Charnoski has had a long history of skate oriented injuries, (too many to recall) but this time he really did it. The first day he got bean plants wired, he ate it and ripped all kinds of things, (i.e. tendons, ligaments, and muscles) in his ankle. But did that stop him? Of course not, he's now doing grinders, sweepers and more in a cast up to his knee! Could this be an example of dedication?

Tom Broholski is on his way to California and he left his ramp behind. Fortunately you're allowed to ride it on Saturdays, from 10-3. Details next issue.

The Suburban Youth ramp still isn't finished due to too many reasons to start mentioning. When it is finally, completely done, we will celebrate by holding a massive contest. Stay tuned.

There is a new underground rag being put out in the area. It's called what else but, 'SKATE'. It's really pretty cool, so send stamps to:

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Rail of the month: While on his way to the Circle Jerks gig, a former skate-type from Naz., Pa. got into an accident with a cab, but as if that wasn't enough, his wheel fell off his car on the way home! Talk about grinds w/out coppers!

by obolovics to Cobble Party, whose name I spelled wrong last issue. (I hope it's not wrong again.)

A reliable source says that Neil Blender won the St. Pete Christmas/New Year Jam. If he did, you heard it here first.

We are holding a contest. That's right, a 'skate tough or...' contest. Entries will be judged on originality and coolness. The prize will be the honor of having your name printed in this mag! What more could you ask for?

The Kick-Turn staff is also trying to hold a ditch contest this coming spring. It would be held at some other than the Bethlehem ditch. If it is pulled off, there will be a good supply of T.N. t-shirts, stickers, etc. etc. etc.

Chuck Treese's band, "Clad", has got a debut E.P. out on Red Records. For details, contact Chuck at:

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Keep the letters, stories, stamps, and pics flowing this way. We were surprised and really appreciate all of the feedback we've been getting already. Look for it next issue.

Until then, SKATE TIGHT CH...

- RxCx

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READ THE BIBLE!



RIPSTIK

Dear Diary,
I finally got my new
"Ripstik" from Atlantic Skates.
I can't wait until it stops
raining so I can go out
and ride it. It's a perfect
size and it's got a great
concave. Atlantic has really
come through this time. Well,
what the hell, I'm gonna go
ride it in the rain. Later!



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